

Official Diary

Saturday, 17 January 1953

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1. In answer to [redacted] inquiry told him that I had sent a copy of the FBIS intercept on the Washington Post editorial to Mr. Graham of the Post. FBIS should be commended for their prompt and sensible action in informing us respecting the disturbance in Egypt.

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2. Having noticed a diary item respecting [redacted] comment on the implementation of the USCIB study, phoned [redacted] and informed him of the possible availability of [redacted] to succeed General Magruder. [redacted] undertook to talk further with me on this matter and he is also going to speak to Mr. Wilson, the new Secretary of Defense. Phoned [redacted] and informed him of this.

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3. Spoke to [redacted] office and approved dissemination of the Sorge report to the IAC agencies. Also requested that the Intelligence Periodicals Index be sent monthly to this office.

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4. [redacted] reported progress on the survey of the "B" project.

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